

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: :
 : Group Art Unit: 2189
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 For: SYSTEM AND METHODS FOR TIME :
 DEPENDENT DATA STORAGE AND :
 RECOVERY :

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated April 17, 2007 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 1-29 in the above-referenced patent application.

A Request for Pre-Appeal Brief Conference is filed concurrently herewith.

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